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INDUSTRIAL CONTROLLER FOR MACHINE TOOLS,

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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

SIR:

On December 5, 2006, Applicants' representative discussed the pending claims with the Examiner. Applicants' representative agreed to authorize the Examiner to enter an Examiner's amendment which amends the claims to change the term "associates" to --links--.

Respectfully submitted,

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